HOW THE BOSTON MBDA BUSINESS CENTER HELPS

How the Boston MBDA Business Center Helps Buying Organizations

- One stop access to pre-vetted MBEs nationally
- > Reduction in administrative expenses
- > Shortens their buy cycle
- > Lowers risk of new vendor acquisition
- Assistance with on-boarding of new MBEs
- Comprehensive monitoring and reporting of MBE performance
- > Automation of process and customized to fit into existing procurement process

How the Boston MBDA Business Center Helps MBEs

- Lower marketing costs
- > Access to opportunities that are normally either difficult or unable to achieve
- Opportunity to be part of larger opportunities
- > Access to seasoned procurement professional to assist in bid process
- > Automatic updating of your profile on corporate Supplier Diversity databases



BOSTON MBDA BUSINESS CENTER

Principal Strategic Partners

Strategic Partners play a role in helping the Center serve the MBE community; both target and non-target MBEs.

- Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Office of Supplier Diversity & Office for Access & Opportunity
- Copley Partners, LLC
- East West Bank
- ❖ GNEMSDC
- Massachusetts Business Development Center Network
- Massachusetts Growth Capital Corp.
- Next Street Financial
- Purchasing Managers Association of Boston
- ❖ SBA
- The Business Consortium Fund, Inc.
- Turner Construction
- UTC

Management Assistance Team

- Group of skilled and highly experienced individuals
- Available to clients to consult on a wide variety of business issues
- Acts as a force multiplier for the Business Center staff
- Free of charge to clients

